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TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS), UK

SUBJECT: SECVISIT LONDON: REVISED SCENARIO FOR THE
SECRETARY'S VISIT TO LONDON, MARCH 31- APRIL 1, 1977

REFS: (A) LONDON 4483; (B) LONDON 47A6; (C) STATE 64013;
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1. PLEASE INFORM FCO THAT THE SECRETARY WILL BE UNABLE TO
MEET WITH ENERGY SECRETARY BENN.

.. SECRETARY APPRECIATES CHARGE SPIEFS THOUGHTFUL OFFER OF
DINNER THURSDAY EVENING, BUT PREFERS TO PROCEED TO HOTEL
AFTER CALLAGHAN MEETING.

. LATEST REVISION OF SCENARIO FOR LONDON STOPTHUS AS
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FOLLOWS:

THURSDAY, MARCH 31

5:00 P.M.:

ARRIVE HEATHROW AIRPORT

(SOUTHSIDE VIP SUITE).

GREETED BY CHARGE RONALD

I. SPIERS, AND SIR STEPHEN

OLVER, FOREIGN ;
COMMONWEALTH OFFICE
(FCO) REPRESENTATIVE.

5:05 P.M.:
PHOTO CALL AND BRIEF
INFORMAL ARRIVAL
STATEMENT AND A FEW
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
WITH PRESS ASSEMBLED
PLANESIDE.

5:10 P.M.:

DEPART HEATHROW IN
MOTORCADE FOR NO.10
DOWNING STREET ACCOMPANIED
BY CHARGE SPIERS.

6:00 P.M.:

ARRIVE NO.,0 DOWNING
STREET FOR MEETING WITH
PRIME MINISTER CALLAGHAN
(PARTICIPANTS TO BE
DETERMINED).

APPROX. 7:00 P.M.:

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MEETING CONCLUDES.
PROCEED TO CLARIDGES.
GREETED BY HOTEL GENERAL
MANAGER B. LUND HANSEN.

EVENING FREE.
FRIDAY APRIL 1
9:00 A.M.:

DEPART CLARIDGES FOR
EMBASSY (WALKING TIME:
10 MINUTES; DRIVING
TIME: 8 MINUTES).

9:10 A.M.:

ARRIVE EMBASSY. GREETED
BY CHARGE SPIERS.

9:15 A.M.:

MEET WITH COUNTRY TEAM.

9:30 A.M.:

MEET WITH EMBASSY STAFF.

9:45 A.M.:

DEPART EMBASSY FOR FCO,
ACCOMPANIED BY CHARGE SPIERS.

9:55 A.M.:

ARRIVE FCO. GREETED BY
FOREIGN SECRETARY OWEN
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AND ESCORTED TO MEETING
SITE.

10:00 A.M.:

MEETING WITH BRITISH
(PARTICIPANTS TO BE
DETERMINED).

12:30 P.M.:

WORKING LUNCHEON WITH
BRITISH (PARTICIPANTS
TO BE DETERMINED).
POSSIBILITY OF BRIEF
MEETING WITH PRESS AFTER
LUNCH BEING EXPLORED WITH
FCO.

2:00 P.M.:

DEPART FCO DIRECTLY FOR
HEATHROW ACCOMPANIED BY
CHARGE SPIERS.

2:50 P.M.:

ARRIVE HEATHROW. PHOTO
CALL AND POSSIBLE
DEPARTURE STATEMENT.

2:55 P.M.:

ESCORTED TO RAMP AND
BID OFFICIAL FAREWELL BY
CHARGE SPIERS AND SIR
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STEPHEN OLVER.

3:00 P.M.:

WHEELS UP FOR PARIS (ORLY).
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